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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

ALBANY.—The Queen's Lace Handkerchief
Fond—Mascot.

HENDERSON'S MUSIC—Wise of Last.

JEWEL MUSEUM.—The Danites.

THEATRE CONIQUE.—The Argentine Beauties.

SE—Parties bearing the city during the
triumphal progress of the Queen's Lace Handkerchief
Fond—Mascot, are invited to make their arrangements
to the business office, at the low price of Fifty Cents
a month, including postage. By this means they
will have full information of what is transpiring
in Washington.MUGWUMP ACCUSATION keeps pace with
Democratic accumulation of scurrility.IS AN empty sleeve or a Grand Army
badge an evidence of "offensive partisanship?"ILLINOIS Democrats do not mean to
swear, but they are accusing Morrison of
having played them.INSPIRED IDIOCY could not suggest a
more fatal policy for the Democracy than
to the soldiers in office.THE white labor of the north is bound
to suffer so long as the black labor of the
south is deprived of fair reward.THE Dominion government was not so
innocent of provocation for Riel's rebellion
that it can afford to put him to death.For a department clerk to have smiled
at the news of Logan's election is to
have been "offensively partisan," it appears.SILENCE on the part of Dr. George R.
Loring, ex-commissioner of agriculture, is far
less satisfactory to his friends than an
emphatic denial of grave charges would
be.OF course there is a grand rush of
anxious and expectant Democratic states-
men to join Mr. Randall in bombing Mr.
Cleveland for a second term. But they
are all too previous.EARNESTLY desiring to avert a threat-
ened calamity, THE NATIONAL REPUBLICAN
makes tender of its friendly ser-
vices as mediator between Senator Black-
burn and the administration.Even if there were no risk of far more
serious consequences from the pollution
of the water supply of this city, it would
still be disgusting to think every time one
takes a drink of the fifth that pours into
the conduit at the Great Falls.In the death of Mr. Frelinghuysen the
country has lost one of its most honored
citizens, one who in private life, in the
Senate, and in the Cabinets discharged all
his duties with fidelity, and has left to
posterior an unsullied reputation.VETERAN contractors for naval supplies
have this experience in common—the
chief difficulty in their business has
been with officers who expected to be
bribed. A few bad men in an honorable
profession can make a deal of trouble.Much Mugwump malice of the
Viles circular was to be expected, but the
P. M. G. appears to be astonished at the
extent of the disturbance which that
document has caused. It is not the fact,
but the manner of resorting to the "spells
system" that distresses the Mugwumps.EXCEPT THE trivial value of the ore,
coal, and limestone, as they exist in the
earth untouched of man, all that goes to
make up the value of pig iron or iron
products of any kind is labor. Iron
workers in the north are now called to
compete with iron workers in the south.
The white wage workers of the north
cannot and will not live on such wages
as are paid to the black iron workers of
the south.OCCASIONALLY THE P.M. "goes above
board" to a lofty and serene moral altitude.
It then exists itself when it says:"That the stupidity of the Democrat in
the Weaver district made it possible for
the decent Republicans to whip their
thieves into line at last is perhaps the
thing least to be regretted. Far better
John A. Logan, Republican, than Carter
H. Harrison, Democrat." Inasmuch as
Carter H. Harrison is shown by the
gubernatorial vote of last fall to be the
tool of the Illinois Democracy, our con-
temporary's comment condemns not only
the man, but his party in that state.EX-GOV. CURTIN is quoted to the effect
that it was "just like Morrison to
fool away the election of a Democratic
senator in this manner," and Congress-
man Singleton, of Mississippi, is said to
have expressed his belief that a Democ-
rat could probably have been elected
soy within the last two months if
Morrison had not been in the way. "The
election of Gen. Logan," he said, "will
solidify the Republican party in Illinois,
and does us every advantage. We gained
practically impossible a Democratic victory
in 1856." Yes, we think it does.In the Ohio house of representatives yesterday
morning a resolution giving the use of the
legislative chamber next Thursday night to
any member who desired it, a temperature
vote was taken down. The Republicans
voted almost solidly against it.SENATOR RUFUS M. MAGOFF, the new minister to
Norway and Sweden, has been tendered a
farewell banquet by the citizens of Logana
on the 21st inst. He will be present.It is understood that Lieut. T. B. M. Mason,
of the navy, has been resigning.Howell O'Farrell, of Missouri, leaves for
Louisville tomorrow afternoon. He goes
by Philadelphia.GEN. LOGAN is chiefly valuable just now as
a well-prepared relic of the Dark Ages of
Democracy.—*Philadelphia Press.*GOV. KNOTT, of Kentucky, has appointed
Hon. Phil Thompson state agent for the state.
He will also represent the whisky interests.SENATOR RUFUS M. MAGOFF, the new minister to
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We are fools all, and therefore we are
to be foiled to the top of our bent. It is
really wonderful, when one comes to think of
it, how we ever succeeded in electing a
President last fall.—*Washington Post.*

So Note It Be.

It is thought that after the wars and
rivers of war settle down a bit Keelley's
motor will make another grand attempt
to move.—*Editorials America.*

begin the payment of silver at once, and

keep in the treasury the odd \$15,000,000
or so which still remain over and above
the \$100,000,000 reserve. But that does
not seem to have been his intent."It appears that \$100,000,000 of Mr. Hen-
drick's surplus is called a reserve by the
Secretary.THE untrified Democracy are howl-
ing about the administration "going
slow" in making removals of Republican
officials and appointing Democrats in
their places. Estimating six hours as
an official day's work of the chief officials
of this administration, equal to 4,200
working hours in all, it is safe to say
that in the entire country and in all
branches and grades of the service, down
to cross roads postmasters, there has
been a removal of a Republican and an
appointment of a Democrat every hour.
This is not satisfactory. Office-seekers
and office-breakers will be satisfied with
nothing less than one minute till the
last Republican steps down and out.SECRETARY MANNING is the boss, and
Democrats will be appointed just as fast
as he decides that it is safe to do so. He
knows that the removal of Postmaster
Palmer, of Chicago, to help elect Morri-
son, proved to be a blunder and reacted
unfavorably on Morrison's chances—for
the reason that 100 working Democrats
wanted the office, and stopped working
when their hopes were disappointed by
the appointment of Judd. Making re-
movals during a campaign generally
results unfavorable to the party in power,
it is a two-edged sword, and cuts both
ways.It is currently reported that among the
recent appointments to federal positions
is a man who, a short time after the death of President
Lincoln, at an entertainment or social
gathering, offered the following toast:"Here's to the man who drew the trigger that
killed the man that freed the nigger!" We are
confident that no such appointment
was intended, and quite sure that if the
report be true the appointee cannot be
confirmed.THE Lake Erie and Western Railway Com-
pany, which owns and operates a line of rail-
road from Sandusky, O., through Munroe, Ind.,
to Indianapolis, Ind., has filed articles of
incorporation with the State of Indiana, and
the first stock of \$1,000,000. The Lake Erie and
Western Railway Company, which owns the former
line from Indianapolis to Toledo, taking the
route via Marion, Indiana, and the Lake Erie
and Western, will be absorbed by the new
company. Incorporated June 1, 1855.Mr. Charles J. Canale says to the
editors of the *Evening Star* that he has
written to the Postmaster General, and
will be awaiting his answer.The statement that J. W. Le Barnes,
the lawyer in the general office, has re-
signed is denied.It is understood that T. W. Roberts,
of Prince Anne county, Md., is Dr. W.
G. Green's successor as chief of division
in the second comptroller's office in the
Treasury Department.Secretary Manning has appointed T. O.
Roberts, son-in-law of ex-Secy. Bowie,
of Maryland, to the chief of division in
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